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**WASHINGTON AND CONGRESS - PARTISAN POLITICS EMERGE**

During the Presidency of George Washington, political opponents began to emerge. Those who wished to succeed Washington began to articulate different visions of the future. Use pages 154 – 159 to complete the chart below, which shows the competing views of America’s future that prevailed during this time.

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| **Political Issues of the late 1700s:** | **Alexander Hamilton & the Federalists View of the Event** | **Thomas Jefferson, James Madison, and the Jeffersonian Republicans View of the Event** |
| **The Bill of Rights** |  | |
| **The Assumption of the National Debt and Redemption of Bonds** |  |  |
| **Powers under The Constitution** |  |  |
| **The National Bank** |  |  |
| **Who Should Rule?** |  |  |
| **Foreign Policy Choices** |  |  |
| **The Alien and Sedition Acts** |  |  |

*Questions regarding the rise of partisan politics in America during the Presidency of George Washington.*

1. What two documents authored by Virginians did James Madison rely upon in creating the Bill of Rights? Who wrote each document? (p. 154 – 155)

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2. Describe the four parts to Alexander Hamilton’s financial plan for the new national government. (p. 156 – 157, especially the ***Primary Source*** graphic at the bottom of the pages.)

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3. Define the term ***Enumerated Powers*** (p. 157) - \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

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4. Define the term ***Implied Powers*** (p. 157) - \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

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5. How did George Washington’s actions in response to the ***Whiskey Rebellion*** demonstrate the power of the national government? How did this response compare with the response under the Articles of Confederation during Shays’ Rebellion in 1786? (p. 158)

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6. Who did Alexander Hamilton believe should rule a strong national government? Who did Thomas Jefferson believe should have the most power in the United States of America? (p. 159)

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